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SUBJECT: OUTER SPACE COMMITTEE: DRAFT GROUP ON STSC

1. AT CLOSE OF JUNE 28 SESSION, OSC RAISED NO OBJECTION TO CHAIRMAN JANKOWITSCH'S PROPOSAL TO ESTABLISH INFORMAL WORKING GROUP TO LOOK AT SUGGESTED CHANGES TO DRAFT MOON TREATY. HE SAID HE DOES NOT FORESEE COMPLETING WORK ON THE TREATY AT THIS SESSION OF THE OSC BUT FELT NEVERTHELESS THAT IT WOULD BE USEFUL TO REVIEW SUGGESTIONS FOR CHANGE. JANKOWITSCH APPOINTED HUNGARIAN REP AS WORKING GROUP CHAIRMAN.

2. FOLLOWING MEETING, USREP HELMAN NOTED TO JANKOWITSCH THAT MANY DELS DO NOT HAVE THEIR LEGAL EXPERTS AVAILABLE AND NEW PRESENT MEMBERS OF OSC DELEGATIONS MAY NOT BE SUFFICIENTLY FAMILIAR WITH DRAFT'S NEGOTIATING HISTORY AND TERMINOLOGY TO PERMIT MUCH PROGRESS -- IN FACT, THERE MIGHT BE DANGER OF REGRESSION. HELMAN SUGGESTED THAT IT WOULD BE BETTER TO ALLOW THE LEGAL SUBCOMMITTEE TO BEAR THE MAIN BURDEN OF THE REVIEW.

3. JANKOWITSCH AGREED BUT FELT OBLIGED TO MAKE GESTURE. HE SAID THAT HE DID NOT FORESEE AGREEMENT AT THIS SESSION OF THE OSC. HIS INITIAL INCLINATION WAS TO HAVE THE
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AUSTRIAN DELEGATION COME UP WITH A FRESH TEXT FOR LSC BASED UPON SUGGESTIONS PUT FORWARD IN WORKING GROUP. HE AGREED, HOWEVER, WITH HELMAN'S SUGGESTION THAT IT MIGHT BE BETTER INSTEAD SIMPLY TO IDENTIFY, BASED ON WORKING GROUP'S DISCUSSIONS, THOSE SEGMENTS OF THE TREATY WHICH MIGHT NEED FURTHER WORK BY THE LSC.

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